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FORESTERS HAVE FAREWELL SOCIAL IN PRESENT HOME

Court Rockingham, Foresters of America, conducted a social on Monday evening. It was the last time that the order will meet in Rechabite Hall and to mark its departure from the old quarters to Grand Army Hall a large crowd turned out and shared in making the affir what it was, a great success.

Past Chief Ranger William Cogan handled the talent of the evening and introduced several local artists, including James McGee and Harry Dowdell as vocalists, W. Coney in clog dancing and the court quartet and Glee club, who favored with numerous catchy selections. The entertainment was fololwed by light refreshments. The committeei ncharge were J. C. Pettigrew, William Cogan and John Quirk.

ENTERTAINMENT POSTPONED

In accordance with the order of the Board of Health, the entertainment to be given by the children of the Rogers Mission Circle will be postponed from Wednesday to some date to be announced. All tickets will be good for the later date.

BOY SCOUT MEMBERSHIP GROWS

Thirteen Hundred Applications Received During Past Three Weeks

Thus far during the month of February 1390 applications for membership with the New England Boy Scouts have been received from Boston College, St. Peter's church, Dorchester, Stoughton, Somerville and Roslindale, Mass.; Enfield and Somersworth, this state. On March 17 300 or more New England Boy Scouts will participate in the Evacuation Day parade in Boston in full scout uniform.

Examination of scout masters are being held every Tuesday and Friday evening. Arrangements are now being completed with a leading Boston bank to become a receiving depository for donations which will be publicly acknowledged by them.

Representative James F. Cavanaugh, who is chairman of the banks and banking of the state Legisuature has consented to act as legal adviser for the New England Boy Scouts.

The support of the work depends on contributions and these can be sent to the secretary, 262 Washington street, Boston.

FUNERAL PARTY COMING NORTH

Delegation of House Members To Accompany Congressman Allen's Body

Quite a delegation of house members will travel north with the funeral party of Representative Amos L. Allen of Maine, who died in Washington Monday morning. The train bearing the remains will leave Washington, probably at 5.35 o'clock, to reach Alfred for the services Thursday afternoon. The party will be accompanied by a deputy sergeant at arms of the house.

Representatives Swasey and Guernsey of Maine, O'Connell of Massachusetts, Kendall of Iowa, Latta of Nebraska and Graham of Illinois and Delegate Cameron of Arizona have been named as a committee to go to Alfred with the body and attend the funeral there. Probably all will go.

Representative-elect Hinds, the house parliamentarian and a long time friend of Mr. Allen will be unable to go. With the present unsettled status of business in the house, he is kept at the speaker's desk and cannot be spared.

A committee of senators, including Hale and Frye of Maine and Lodge of Massachusetts, was named Monday to attend the funeral. Probably none of them will be able to leave.

During the last 30 years Mr. Allen had resided in Washington quite as much as in Maine. He had a great number of friends there. Many telegrams of condolence from prominent people were received at his residence Monday.

Y. M. C. A. HAS AN ENJOYABLE SOCIAL TIME

The long-expected presentation of world-renowned novelties was held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlor, under the direction of the membership and reception committee. Before a large and enthusiastic number of members the following side-splitting acts were presented: 1st, the Polly contest, which was a contest between members of the Blues and Reds, under the captaincies of Mitchell and Badger.

This act consisted of four men on a side eating a big soda cracker and then trying to whistle a tune afterward. The one who do this first made his side the winner. Score 1 for Badger's side.

The 2nd act was an exhibition of mind reading by Secretary Booth who completely mystified the audience. Not to be outdone by the secretary, Russell Badger gave an exhibition of mental telepathy which had them all guessing.

Then Mitchell, the doughty captain of the Reds, not to be outdone by the leader of the Blues, gave a strength contest with a glass of water and received the best applause of the evening.

The program closed with a Barn Yard Blow, participated in by representatives from the Blues and Reds. This act provoked great laughter, and the Blues, under Capt. Badger, were declared the winners.

After these humorous acts, the serious part of the business of the evening was taken up, which was to launch a membership campaign, and short speeches were made by Dr. Fred S Towle, Harry B Yeaton and President Frank E. Leavitt. Secretary Booth then outlined the plans for a great membership contest between teams chosen from the senior department, this contest to be between the Reds and the Blues, and to close on the evening of March 31.

The evening's entertainment closed with refreshments furnished through the kindness of Dr. Fred S Towle and Harry B. Yeaton.

BATTLESHIP NEW JERSEY FIRE DAMAGED

An alarm was sounded early last evening for a fire on the United States battleship New Jersey at the Charlestown navy yard. When the engines and ladder companies arrived at the gates they were held up, and only engine 27 was allowed to enter. It was found that the trouble was caused by a defective wire in the dynamo room, but practically no damage was done.

Before the sounding of the city alarm the ship's crew was called out by an alarm, and the six hose companies in the yard, made up of marines, were also summoned. There was a supply of shells in the magazine of the ship, but the trouble was so remote from that section that no fear of an explosion was felt.

EXIT WIDE BRIM HAT

The National association of retail milliners by decree has "tied the can" to the wide buzz-saw brim on the summer hat and humanity may once more pass along the public way without fear.

The association is to hold its 15th annual convention next Friday and Saturday. According to Mme. Maerie, the president, the stunning hit of the season is to be the brimless "London bobby" helmet.

The "London bobby" will be varied in trifling details and one of the nearest kin to it will be "the Roman war bonnet." The latter will bear a close resemblance to the helmets worn by thelegions of Julius Caesar.

Besides being close copy of the shape and style, these helmets will carry as ornaments the short gladiator's sword thrust through a wide bow on the side.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Mrs. Chase postpones her Friday and Saturday classes in dancing until the regular lesson of next week. chit

About twenty members of Friendship council, Royal Arcanum, went to Exeter Monday evening and attended the ladies' night celebration by Friendship council.

NAVY SAILOR KILLED IN A BOXING BOUT

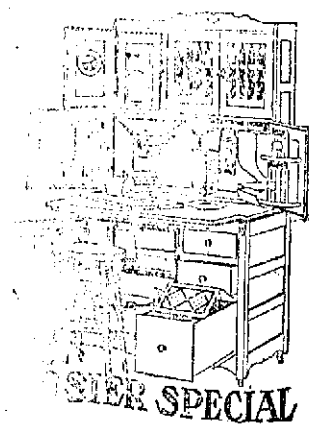
While engaged in a boxing bout with a friend on board the United States battleship New Hampshire, now engaged in practice at Guantanamo, Cuba, Edward Joseph Scully, a seaman, was accidentally killed by a fall according to a wireless dispatch received by the navy department today from Capt. Rodgers, commanding the New Hampshire.

It is said, however, at the department that, following the usual custom Admiral Schroeder, commander in chief of the fleet, undoubtedly will appoint a court to investigate the matter.

Scully was a native of Providence, R. I., where his father, Michael J Scully, is now living. He entered the naval service about two years ago.

NO HERALD ON WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday, Washington's Birthday, the Herald will not be issued. Thursday's issue will contain a complete account of the happenings of the Holiday.



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$35.00
One Brown Marmot Coat, 40 inches long, size 40, formerly $60 00, sale price
$40.00
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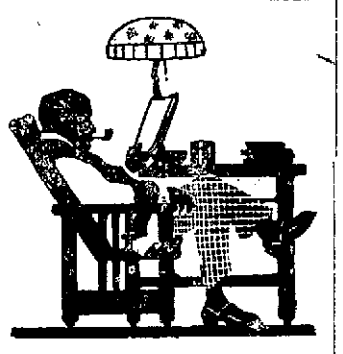

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WHAT WE SAY IS SO

FOR STORAGE OF GASOLINE

Insurance people throughout the state, as well as property owners, are interested in the bill introduced by Representative Healey to regulate the keeping and storage of gasoline, naphtha, petroleum and other highly inflamable and explosive liquids, which is set for a public hearing before the house committee on judiciary at Concord at 9.30 a. m. today. In the meantime, interests which profit under the present loose law in relation to the storage of such dangerous liquids, are quietly working to defeat the bill and will probably send representatives before the committee to oppose it.

When real estate owners entered protest with the Manchester mayor and aldermen last summer against the installation of an oil plant in a residential neighborhood in East Manchester they were told that the present law was not sufficient to cover such a case. Unless given a special permit to build as they pleased, the oil companies were obliged by law to place their tanks in the ground so protected by embankments as to safeguard surrounding property, but if thus banked in, it was claimed, the municipal authorities had no power to limit the amount of gasoline or other explosive liquids stored anywhere. It was to remedy this defect in the law that the Healy bill was introduced.

"Such a law is certainly needed," said President Frank W. Sargent of the New Hampshire Fire Insurance Co., when questioned by reporters Monday. "If anything the Healy bill is not drastic enough for the proper protection of property. It allows the storage of greater quantities than is consistent with safety.

"We do not allow merchants to keep more than 20 gallons of gasoline at one time under an ordinary policy. If a greater amount is kept it constitutes a special hazard and we increase our rates in proportion to the risk if we insure at all.

"I would go farther, too, in the property protected. This forbids the storage of these dangerous liquids to large quantities in near proximity to 'any hotel, dwelling house of factory.' It would be well to include all buildings. Yes, the insurance companies certainly favor this bill, if it is the desire of property owners to keep rates down, but if anything, we would make it more drastic."

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WRECKING CONCERN SOLD

Merritt and Chapman Company Gets Sorensen Plant in Boston

The Sorensen Wrecking Company of Boston has sold its business to the Merritt & Chapman Derrick & Wrecking Company of New Yor. The sale includes all the lighters, tugs, barges and derricks of the Boston concern, as well as a long lease of the wharf property on Chelsea Creek, where the plant of the Sorensen company has been located.

Capt. Sorenson, one of the best known wreckers along the New England coast, goes to the New York concern as local superintendent. The Sorenson company has for years carried on a wrecking, lifting and lighterage business in that vicinity. It had the first contract for placing the stone of the outside breakwater of the Cape Cod Canal Company at Sandwich.

Its last service was in connection with the attempt to raise the big navel crane at the Charlestown navy yard. Much money was spent in an endeavor to raise this crane, but the company was obliged to cancel its contract at a loss, it is said, of over $8000.

FORTIFICATION OF CANAL

Washington, Feb. 20—Representative Fitzgerald of New York, a member of the committee on appropriations, announced in the house today that the sundry civil bill will carry provision for the fortification of the Panama canal.

The statement was made in response to a question from Mr. Hobson of Alabama, and was greeted with applause.

ELECTRIC BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

The annual meeting of the Electric Benevolent Society for the choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may be brought before it, will be holden on Wednesday, Feb. 22nd, 1911, at four o'clock in the afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Richter, Middle street.

ANNIE M. COGSWELL,
Secretary.

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Theatrical Topics

"The Time, The Place and the Girl"

Says the Gardiner Reporter-Journal:

It was the unanimous opinion of the large and appreciative audience which saw "The Time, The Place and The Girl" at the Coliseum last night that the show was one of the best which has ever appeared in this city, and the local management is to be congratulated upon securing such a worthy attraction.

There was plenty of good music, superbly rendered, unlimited fun and comedy, keeping the house in continuous laughter, handsome costumes and splendid scenic and lighting effects. There was not a suggestive line in the entire play. One can readily see why such a clean show has been so successful. Every entrance of Mr. Tom Cameron was a sign that some new fun making would be forthcoming from his impersonation of "Happy Johnny Hicks." Gardiner theatregoers have seldom seen the equal of Mr. Cameron as a comedian. He has all the qualities which give success, a splendid singing voice, a great personality and the ability to extract fun from any situation.

Members of last night's audience will be interested in learning that Miss Celia Mavis who took the part of Molly Kelly, the nurse, is an Australian actress who received her training in the excellent English companies of her country. Her splendid soprano voice was heard to advantage in the solo "It's Lonesome Tonight."

The travesty on Salvini and Bernhardt rendered by Mr. Cameron and Miss Mavis is an artistic achievement. It requires two clever performers to handle such a number. It's broad comedy is highly entertaining and one cannot help but see and admire the dramatic ability of Mr. Cameron and Miss Mavis despite the fact that they are burlesquing two celebrated stars.

Miss Jessie Webster as Margaret the Girl, was petite and dainty, sang well, danced well and delivered her lines in charming manner. Mr. Donald Mackenzie as Tom Cunningham is an able foil to Mr. Cameron and, be it said, a splendid actor himself. Mr. Walter Smith extracted a great deal of humor from his impersonation of Jasper Simson an eccentric farmer, and Miss Rose Delamater won the favor of the audience with her "Honeymoon" number. Mr. Herbert Morrison as Laurie Farnham received a hearty encore with his song "Blow the Smoke Away." Lee Frost and Harry Hedgkins as Little Willie and Bud contributed a great deal of fun and Mr. Merriman's "Pedro" deserves special mention. The chorus was sprightly and graceful and was composed of young people who could sing.

We hope to see "The Time, The Place, and the Girl" with us again.

Phil Ott.

No, josts, no jokes; nothing but genuine comedy will be presented at Music Hall when Phil Ott and his merrymakers return for an engagement of two nights and Saturday matinee which will in all liklihood prove the last chance to enjoy this favorite comedian at popular prices.

Theatregoers all over recognize in Phil Ott an artist in the truest sense of the word, not one merely possessing knowledge of technique and dramatic art. The true comedian should be and usually is thoroughly conversant with these things, and Mr. Ott is past master in everything pertaining to stagecraft and the art of entertaining. But he also possesses something else, that indescribable element which cannot be analyzed, whose presence is felt yet cannot be defined, call it soul, spirit, magnetism, fire or what you will, he is its possessor to a remarkable degree, and his audiences get the benefit whether or not they are aware that the entertainer is really an unusually gifted individual.

They laugh, they applaud, they enjoy clean, sparkling wit and ridiculously amusing situations brought before them and presented as only an Ott is capable of doing.

See him every night and enjoy the best while it is being dispensed at a mere pittance, then be prepared to see him again next season no more clever perhaps except as a result of daily growth but more sumptuously surrounded.

This engagement begins Friday night with The Explorer, a satire on the recent claims of North Pole discovery.

It will be repeated at the Saturday matinee, whereas Saturday night make their escape by means of a blanket rope from an upstairs window when they are detected by the Burgomaster and only saved from imprisonment when they offer to work out their indebtedness. Kidder, who professes to be somewhat of a linguist, is made interpreter at the inn, Kid Connor becomes a waiter. Kidder has but scant knowledge of French, and when he is confronted by an irate French countess, who does "The Auto Girl" will provide the vehicle of laughter. Popular prices prevail for this engagement.

"The Red Mill"

Victor Herbert and Henry Blossom's tuneful comic opera, "The Red Mill," will be the attraction at Music Hall Feb. 27. With a record of one entire year on Broadway, New York city, at the Knickerbocker Theatre, and three months each in Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia, "The Red Mill" stands out as to most popular musical hit of the past three seasons and one that will prove popular for many seasons to come, possession all the elements of an enduring success both in story and music. "The Red Mill" marks the nineteenth complete musical play by Victor Herbert, every one of which has scored an undeniable success and have proved veritable for most of the distinguished musical stars of the present day. Henry Blossom, the author of the book and lyrics, has already come to the front as the American Gilbert, each of his writings having, like Herbert, proved immensely successful. Starting with "Checkers," his first and only dramatic writing, he rapidly followed with "The Yankee Consul," "Mlle. Modiste," "The Prima Donna" and "The Red Mill." In "The Red Mill" Mr. Blossom has succeeded in telling an unusually interesting story dealing with the adventures of a frisky pair of Americans who are "Doing" Europe for the first time, but who strike a snag in one of the small villages in Holland when their money gives out, and the most amusing complications follow, which lead them to assume all kinds of disguises. The music of Mr. Herbert is of the whistleable kind and satisfies not only music lovers alone but the masses to whom song is one of the greatest delights.

The company of fifty people has been carefully selected and embraces a cast of rare individuality, particularly the six little boys and girls, who impersonate the Dutch Kiddies, and James Crowley and Wm. Moore who interpret the two Americans, Cornelius Kidder and Kid Connor.

"The Commuters"

If there is one set of people who should fully understand "The Commuters," James Forbes' comedy of thousands of laughs now playing to crowded houses at the Park Theatre, Boston, it is that great army which daily commutes between Boston and its various suburbs. Not only because the play is clean and amusing, and acted exceptionally well by a cast of clever people, but that they, being loyal commuters themselves can so thoroughly appreciate its truly human side.

I do not definitely know whether James Forbes lives in on of Manhattan's attractiv suburbs or just at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, but he surely does know his subject well enough to make us feel that at some period he has mowed his own lawn and carried out olives and other delicatessens on suburban trains.

We who live in our noisy city's heart perhaps cannot quite grasp the play's full import, but the suburban husband is always a source of amusement. Mr. Forbes knows his twenty five-ride ticket, the half dressed husband forgetting to Fletcherize his morning toast and egg for fear he may miss his seven-ten, his sleepy, irritated wife trying to assist his departure, his inquisitive friends and his "maid of all work" backwards. They live and move and have their being.

It's a very simple tale. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brice live in a charmingly dull spot near New York. They are surrounded by their friends and have their own front yard and veranda. From this pastoral scene Larry Brice occasionally wanders. On one specific evening he returns to his domicil with a distinctly alcoholic atmosphere; and he brings with him a bachelor friend, Sammy, Fletcher whom his wife dislikes before she meets him. In the hurry of catching his usual seven-ten the next morning, he forgets Fletcher, who bursts upon the startled Mrs. Brice from her guest chamber some time after her husband's departure. This unfortunate "Sammy," who is a very prince of good fellows, is buffeted about, and scolded and talked to through the remainder of the play.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice quarrel and in his effort to patch matters up he makes them worse. Sammy wanders about trying to find peace and quiet and is met everywhere by discord and recriminations. As he arrived on Saturday night, and there are no trains until late Sunday, he is forced to remain with the Brices, who treat him with scant courtesy.

The plot is remarkably brisk and the smiles and laughs chase each other from curtain to curtain. There are the young married neighbors at the Brices, the parlor maid, the village policeman and so on.

Harry Davenport easily carries off the honors. He has a light comedy touch that is quite convincing, and a countenance so expressive that one sees his emotion before he voices it. His Sammy Fletcher is a creature of real humor, and he is not above lending himself to an occasional fall up or down stairs to add to the merriment.

Miss Florence Malone makes a pretty petulant Mrs. Brice, and John Robertson is superb in the part of the husband. The balance of the numerous characters are acted by exceptionally clever artists.

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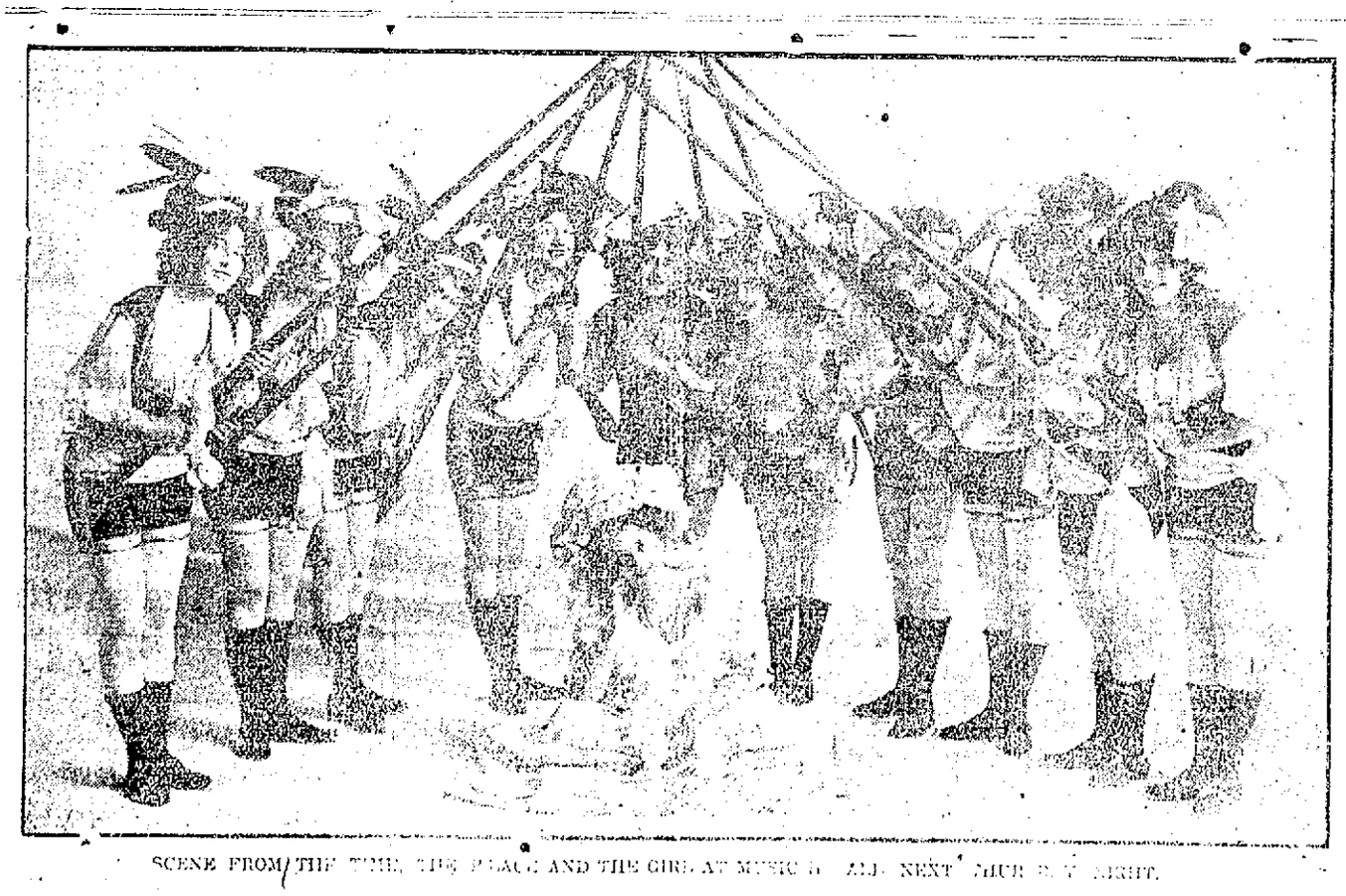

SCENE FROM THE TIME, THE PLACE AND THE GIRL AT MUSIC HALL NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT.

COURTS WILL MAKE DECISION

Christian Science to Be Legally Defined

OF INTEREST TO PUBLIC

Glover's Counsel Says Suit Will Tell Whether Eddy Church Is a Religious, Charitable or Medical Organization—Answer Made by Executor and Directors of Mother Church Quoted by Counsel Chandler

Concord, N. H., Feb. 21.—William E. Chandler, counsel for George W. Glover, who is fighting for the possession of the residuum of the estate of his mother, Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, which was willed to the mother church in Boston, declares that the case is to decide whether Christian Science is a religion, a charity or only a medical organization.

"As a result of the answers recently filed in court in Concord by the executors of Mrs. Eddy and the directors of the Christian Science church in Boston," says Mr. Chandler, "there is likely to be a decision made by the New Hampshire courts; possibly by the United States supreme court, and this decision will interest the public.

"The decision will determine what the religion of Christian Science is, whether, before the law, the society is only a religion like other denominations, or whether it is a special charity to be helped and protected as such by the courts more favorably than it would be if it were only a religion; or whether it is only a medical organization endeavoring to cure physical diseases for money.

"The answer made by Henry M Baker, executor, and the directors of the church, and filed Feb. 4, describes the church as the mother church and says it has 50,000 members and more than 1200 branches, widely distributed, and then proceeds:

"'It is one of the doctrines of Christian Science as taught by said Mary Baker G. Eddy, and a part of the religious belief and the practice of the members of the said mother church, as well as of all other members of the Christian Science denomination, that sin, suffering, disease and distress can be, and are, relieved and overcome by the divine power of God invoked through prayer as taught by, and practised in primitive Christianity.

"'The fundamental purpose for which said church was established and exists, namely, the promotion of the doctrines of Christian Science, is essentially charitable, the objects sought to be furthered by such promotion being the furtherance and spreading of religion, the spiritual education of mankind, and the relief and overcoming of sin, suffering, disease and distress.'

"These questions do not appear to have been raised by Mr. Glover in the bill in equity, but are distinctly raised for the first time in the litigation by the executor and the church. The bill does not undertake to state or put in issue the principles of the religion of Christian Science and makes no statements about them. The answer puts them directly in issue, subject to the taking of testimony, argument and decision.

"It seems now to be Mr. Glover's opportunity if he desires it to meet the issue made against him by the church and upon its invitation to secure a court decision of the questions, What is Christian Science? Is it a religion? Is it a charity, giving but not taking, or is it in law merely a band of practitioners taking money for trying to cure disease?

"Without regard to the motive of the church for bringing into the financial litigation for decision these questions, the public will be glad that they are raised in court and are to receive judicial exposition."

TWO CONFESS GUILT

Providence Youths Are Charged With Theft of $1000 Worth of Silver

Providence, Feb. 21.—Following their arrest charged with stealing two bars of silver, valued at $1000, from a local silverware factory, three employes of the company were held in $2000 each in the district court.

Two of them, Walter E. Conlon and Frederick H. Vincent, pleaded guilty and were held for the grand jury, while the third, George Conroy, pleaded not guilty and was held for a hearing on March 3. Each of the defendants is 18 years old.

Train Kills Aged Man

Boston, Feb. 21.—John Blackington, aged 70, of Belmont, was struck and instantly killed by a train between Belmont station and Hill crossing. The engineer of the train declares Blackington threw himself head first on the tracks.

Machinist Owes $189,156

Boston, Feb. 21.—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed by Andrew A. Meyer of this city, a machinist. His liabilities amount to $189,156, of which $126,000 is secured. The assets amount to $2095.

CHARLES G. GATES

Paid $5000 For Special Train Which Made Record Time

RECOVERY IS EXPECTED

Charles Gates Rushes Across the Continent For Treatment

New York, Feb. 21.—None the worse for his record run of 2989 miles from Yuma, Ariz., here, in seventy-eight hours, Charles G. Gates, son of John W. Gates, victim of blood poisoning which caused his hurried trip east for treatment, is said to be in comfortable condition at his home, with every prospect held out for his ultimate recovery.

His injury is due to an accident sustained while he was cranking up his automobile on his ranch near San Diego, Cal., a septic condition setting in on the leg and alarming him so that he decided to rush to this city for treatment by his own physician. His condition, while serious, is not considered critical.

The cost of the special train which carried Gates across the continent was $5000, compared with the regular railway fare of $77.50.

LIVES SNUFFED OUT IN TURKISH QUAKE

Mosques and Houses Wrecked in Villayet of Monastir

Constantinople, Feb. 21.—A violent earthquake was experienced at Monastir and elsewhere throughout the vilayet of Monastir Monday. There was some loss of life. Several mosques and houses were demolished.

The population is camping out and suffering intensely with the cold. The authorities have appealed to the government for 300 tents and relief funds.

Monastir is a town of European Turkey, capital of the vilayet of Monastir, in Macedonia, eighty-five miles northwest of Salonica. The population, which is estimated at 45,000, is a medley of all the nationalities to be found in Macedonia, the Christians numbering about half of the total.

LIABILITY LAW UPHELD

Employes' Claim Not Affected by Benefits From Relief Department

Washington, Feb. 21.—The constitutionality of the law of Iowa, enabling an employe of the operating department of a railroad to sue a railroad for injuries, notwithstanding the fact that he had received injury benefits from a relief department supported partially by the railroad, was upheld by the supreme court of the United States.

The constitutionality of the law was attacked when Charles L. McGuire sued the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad company for $20,000 damages for injuries. McGuire had been given $882 by an association maintained by the railroad and its employes.

COSTELLO HELD IN $5000

"Black Hand" Writer Goes to Jail in Default of Bonds

Milford, Mass., Feb. 21.—On a charge of sending Black Hand letters to the heads of the Draper establishment at Hopedale, Frank A. Costello was arraigned in the district court here. The prosecution asked for a continuance until next Monday, which was granted.

Counsel for Costello asked that bail be fixed at as low a figure as possible. Judge Cook placed the bail at $5000. Costello was unable to furnish this amount and was taken to the Worcester jail.

A Hard Stunt.

"A man can do almost anything when he discovers that he must."

"Have you ever felt that you must get upstairs at 2 a. m. without waking your wife?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Sensitive Child.

Uncle Gus—So this is the baby, eh? I used to look just like him at that age. What's he crying about now? Niece Susie—Oh, Uncle Gus, he heard what you said.—Chicago News.

STANDPATTERS REMAIN FIRM

Unwilling to Ratify the Canadian Agreement

THE PROTECTIVE POLICY

Inclination to Adhere to It Even If Presidency Is Lost at Next Election—Prominent Republicans Who Are Not Members of Congress Urge Leaders to Agree to Program That Will Clear Legislative Muddle

Washington, Feb. 21.—Until the president spoke through Representative McCall of Massachusetts a good many of the legislators were inclined to discredit the extra session talk. Some of them even went so far as to say that the president was bluffing. Now everybody knows just what the situation is.

Whether the plain announcement by the president as to his intentions will have any effect on the senate remains to be seen. Some of the keenest observers here are still of the opinion that the Republicans in the senate will not force the president to call an extra session. On the other hand, men who understand the situation thoroughly are disposed to believe that the old guard in the senate is perfectly willing that there shall be an extra session.

The announcement made by McCall that the president will hold himself in readiness to veto any general tariff legislation at a special session which threatened to overthrow the Republican principle of protection may, some persons believe, have the effect of making certain Republican senators less fearful of a special session.

The situation is unique. The attitude of the standpat Republican senators is that the Canadian reciprocity agreement if ratified would be a distinct blow at the protective system. It is for this particular reason that the standpatters are unwilling that a vote shall be taken at this session.

They maintain that the movement against the protective system should be "scotched" at once, and as they see it, the way to "scotch" it is to prevent the ratification of the Canadian agreement. With that agreement killed they are apparently willing to trust to the future.

Unquestionably the McCall announcement that general tariff legislation which threatened the protective system would be vetoed if enacted is encouraging to them. It may turn out that this announcement will tend to strengthen the movement for the defeat of the Canadian agreement. If this view is correct the promise to head off general tariff legislation of a particular kind at a special session may help to bring on an extra session.

During the next three or four days the Republican leaders in the senate and house will make some effort to reach an agreement as to just what shall be done during the closing hours of the present session. It seems altogether unlikely that an agreement covering all the legislation of importance that is pending can be reached. Indeed, it may turn out that no agreement with reference to anything can be arrived at.

The political aspect of the situation is receiving more attention than ever before. Men prominent in the Republican party, but not sitting as members of either the senate or the house, are urging the legislative leaders to agree to a program that will clear up the legislative situation.

It is beginning to dawn on many prominent men in the party that an extra session may put the party in the hole deeper than it is now. In the past the sort of a political appeal that is being made to the Republicans in the senate would be effective, but in the present disorganized state of the party in power no appeal of any sort seems to carry much weight.

The remark is frequently made here that the old standpatters in congress would apparently be willing to see the Republican party lose the next presidency rather than yield to a policy which they believe would endanger the protective tariff system.

While all the talk is for an extra session and while the Democrats of the house are making ready for the preliminary work which they must do in case an extra session is called, many persons still hold to the belief that during the closing hours of the session the senate will vote on the Canadian agreement and thus make an extra session unnecessary.

While it is true that the Democratic leaders in the house would like to have until next fall to prepare for tariff legislation, they are not particularly worried over the prospect of an extra session.

Two Thousand May Strike

Cleveland, Feb. 21.—The strike of the boilermakers in the shops of the New York Central railroad lines, which began yesterday, has the sympathy of the machinists and blacksmiths employed in the shops, according to the officials of the Boilermakers union, and it is said over 2000 machinists and blacksmiths will walk out in sympathy.

RETAILERS ARE BLAMED

Said to Be Holding Up Prices on Eggs and Butter

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Caught by the breaking of the cold storage warehouse corner in eggs and butter, Chicago commission merchants now complain that retail dealers are holding up prices and preventing disposal of their surplus stock.

While the wholesale prices of eggs and butter have dropped to a low figure, the consumer still is paying fancy prices. It is contended by commission men and wholesalers that reduced retail prices would cause the housewife to use larger quantities of eggs and butter. The president of a large packing company said:

"There are eggs today in Chicago which have been in storage twenty-four months. They were unfit for food eighteen months ago. One concern offered by circular letter to sell its eggs at 2½ cents a pound, claiming they had been spoiled in the cold storage where they were stored. The price is equivalent to about 2 cents a dozen."

BIG AWARD IS CONFIRMED

End of Telephone Suit Which Has Lasted Twenty-Eight Years

Boston, Feb. 21.—The long standing suit of the Western Union Telegraph company against the American Bell Telephone company for an accounting of receipts from telephone licenses, was brought to a close by an opinion by Judge Colt in the United States circuit court, confirming an award of $2,579,914.64 and 20,087 shares of telephone stock to the Western Union.

The award, which was made by Everett W. Burdett as master, was objected to by the Bell company, and also by the Western Union. The latter objected because the award was not larger.

In all fifty-seven exceptions were taken, and all of these were overruled yesterday. As the contending parties were merged a few months ago, it is believed that the suit, which lasted for twenty-eight years, is now at an end.

CONTEMPT CASE IS STILL ON DOCKET

Bucks-Gompers Boycott Litigation Is Wound Up

Washington, Feb. 21.—The case of the American Federation of Labor against the Bucks Stove and Range company, generally known as the boycott case, was dismissed by the supreme court of the United States because of the announcement that the contending parties had reached an agreement out of court.

The Bucks Stove and Range company of St. Louis, in December, 1907, obtained an injunction against the American Federation of Labor, restraining the latter from publishing the name of the former in its "unfair list."

The federation, after the injunction had been issued, but prior to the time it was made permanent, again published the name of the company in the "unfair list" of The Federationist, and it was in consequence of this fact that Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison were adjudged in contempt, this being a case distinct from the Bucks Stove case appeal, and still awaiting final decision by the supreme court.

GOVERNOR IS SLAIN

Two White and Natives Also Victims of Massacre in Papua

Brisbane, Australia, Feb. 21.—Word was received here from Papua, a division of th island of New Guinea, of the massacre of Staniford Smith, the British administrator of Papua, two white officers and a party of natives by inhabitants of the interior.

Smith, accompanied by the officers, twelve native police and fourteen carriers, left Port Moresby, the capital of Papua, to explore the interior of the country.

Two natives who accompanied Smith arrievd at Bourlbari with the tidings that all of the party except themselves were killed by natives.

GAME CHICKEN BROTH

Valuable Birds Cooked For Patients in Pittsburg Hospitals

Pittsburg, Feb. 21.—Favored patients in hospitals of Pittsburg last night had chicken broth in which the chicken was worth $500. There will be more of this $500 soup today and lots of $100 soup and even some as low as $50.

It's all because of a raid of a cocking main. Almost sixty "sports," many of them in evening clothes, were captured, as were thirty-six of the finest game cocks.

Aged Woman Perishes in Fire

Groton, Mass., Feb. 21.—Miss Mary Wright, 85 years old, was burned to death in her home on Hollis street. The house was destroyed. It is believed that she dropped a lamp, and an explosion followed which set fire to her clothing and the house. She had lived alone in the house for many years.

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RIVER AND HARBOR

Capt. Alonzo P. Ginn of Rockland has bought the three masted schooner John Bracewell from the Dover Navigation company and will command her in the general coasting trade. The schooner is in winter quarters at Rockland. She has been commanded by Capt. Ginn for two seasons, he having had a master's interest in her since the death of her former skipper, Capt. Benson. The Bracewell is registered from this port. She is of 224 tons and was built at Bath in 1878.

Nearly 20,000 tons of coal are now on the way to this port, contained mostly in schooners. The Maude Palmer left Norfolk Feb. 2, the Rebecca Palmer sailed from Baltimore the 13th, the Fannie Palmer from Baltimore the 17th, the Malcolm Baxter, Jr., from Baltimore the 18th, the George E. Walcott from Newport News the 19th, the Daniel McLeod from South Amboy the 16th, and barges Eagle Hill from Philadelphia and Lansford from Elizabethport several days since.

The scow sloop Umbajejus which discharged a cargo of piling at the McElwain plant, sailed this morning for the Damariscotta River to get another cargo. Capt. Pottle is confident that he can get back as far as Portland before next Christmas, inasmuch as he was only two months on his last trip, and from that port he expects to hook on behind a barge of the Portsmouth Navigation Company, and tow the remainder of the distance as he did on the present trip.

The five master Nathaniel T. Palmer was docked alongside the cruiser Washington at the navy yard on Monday by the tugs Piscataqua and Penacook. She will put 2500 tons of her cargo in the Washington's bunkers, and the remaining 1100 in the coal pocket. The Palmer is the third five-master ever built. Her predecessors, the Gov. Ames and John B. Prescott, were both lost at sea.

The Piscataqua brought barge J. B. King and Co., No. 21, up from the lower harbor Monday and docked her at the Consolidation Coal Company's new wharf. She also towed barge Robesonia and schooner Ella May to the lower harbor, they having discharged their cargoes.

The Reading tug Catawissa is tied up at the Consolidation Coal Company's dock awaiting the discharge of barge Barry, which is to be added to her tow for Philadelphia.

Schooner Daniel McLeod, now due here, has coal for the Portsmouth Brewing company.

Tug Portsmouth, which was moved to Gray & Prime's dock, while schooner Ella May discharged salt at Spring Market wharf, was towed back to her former berth this afternoon by the Piscataqua. The Portsmouth will probably not go in commission for a couple of weeks yet.

Schooner John J. Perry sailed on Monday morning for Rockport, Me., but met the easterly snow storm out side and returned.

Arrived Below

Tug Catawissa, Stoldt, towing barge Pocopson, Newburyport, for Philadelphia.

Sailed

Schooner Ella May, Rockport, Me.

Schooner John J. Porry, from Boston for Rockport, Me.

Sloop Umbajejus, Damariscotta, Me.

Tug Mercury, Boston.

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

The Council roll-call of the members of Osgood Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F., will take place next Meeting night (Thursday evening, Feb. 23), at Odd Fellows hall. All brothers of this lodge are earnestly requested to be present. Sojourning brothers are also invited to be present.

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DEMOCRATS AID REPUBLICANS

They Vote For Passage of "Gag" Rule In House

END OF LONG FILIBUSTER

House Bill Carrying War Claims Is Passed After Decision to Limit All Debates to Forty Minutes During Remainder of Session—Entire Condition of Affairs During Next Two Weeks In Hands of Speaker

Washington, Feb. 21.—It was still the legislative day of Friday in the house when that body met Monday in pursuance of the recess of the twenty-eight-hour session ordered shortly before 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

One of the omnibus claims bills which held the house in a tangle since Friday last was still under consideration. It was the house bill carrying war claims only, and omitting the French spoliation and navy yard overtime claims, and there was still a filibuster proceeding against the measure. Mr. Mann of Illinois, who commanded the filibuster under which the French claims were stricken out, was lined up with those in favor of the bill, but several advocates of the spoliation claims had taken up the fight against the bill.

As soon as the house convened the point of no quorum was made and a rollcall ordered. The clerk reported 201 members present, a quorum. The reading of the omnibus bill for amendment was begun.

The great majority of the Democrats in the house voted with the Republicans, 173 to 43, for the adoption of a rule providing that all house rules can be suspended on a two-thirds vote during the remainder of the session, so that appropriation and other measures can be rushed through without amendment after forty minutes' debate. The Democratic leaders announced that they were willing to do anything in reason to assist their Republican brethren out of the predicament in which they find themselves so near the end of the session.

The adoption of the rule, which was characterized by Mr. Bennet of New York as a "gag," had the effect of ending the three-days' filibuster against the omnibus war claims bill which provides for the payment of $1,167,000 of war claims but does not include and French spoliation or navy yard overtime claims. The claims bill was passed by a two-thirds vote. The yeas and nays were not demanded.

The rule adopted by the house practically puts the entire condition of affairs for the next two weeks in the hands of the speaker.

The claims bill passed by the house is the senate measure, carrying only Southern war claims. The senate bill was thrown aside in its entirety. It is doubtful that the senate will accept the house bill, with the French spoliation item eliminated, in which event the Democratic victory will be but a partial one.

Representatives Underwood, Clayton, Shirley and Fitzgerald, Democratic leaders, advised the minority side to vote for the special rule because it will give the Democrats the absolute veto power on any bill, inasmuch as a two-thirds vote is now required to pass any measure and this cannot be obtained without Democratic help.

The omnibus claims bills which passed the house is not the senate measure, in which the spoliation claims were included. The house bill goes over to the senate and the full fruits of the Democratic victory and the conquering of the filibuster cannot be had until the senate accepts the house claims bill.

"MUST BE A CHANGE"

Gompers Says New Labor Party Will Enter Field of Politics

Indianapolis, Feb. 21.—"A constructive, progressive, radical labor party must soon enter the field of politics against the Republican and the Democratic parties," said President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, in a speech to members of the Indiana legislature.

"The Republican party, if it remains as it is now, will represent the power of wealth," continued Gompers, "and the Democratic party will compete with it for the same leadership, unless the Democrats turn to the people to lead them out of bondage. There must be a change."

BELLING ADMITS GUILT

New York Banker Falsified Certificates to Obtain Loan

New York, Feb. 21.—Charles A. Belling, the former vice president of the Bronx National bank, pleaded guilty to forgery in the first degree on an indictment charging him with having falsified certificates of the bank's stock and obtaining a loan of $3000 from the Knickerbocker Trust company.

All told, it is alleged that he forged about $35,000 worth of stock. When he was first arraigned it was contended that Belling was of unsound mind.

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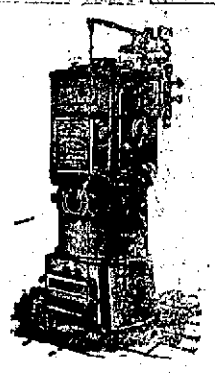

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GOVERNOR BASS' OPPORTUNITY

The people of New Hampshire—the rank and file without regard to this man or that man's personal ambition are vitally interested in the success of the state. The people are tired of seeing New Hampshire abused and the individual that thinks he can continue in public favor through abusing the state will wake up to his mistake.

New Hampshire has for years watched the career of President Charles S. Mellen and noted with much satisfaction how he made the Northern Pacific one of the greatest railroads in the country. They remember his return to New England and how he made the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad the finest and most up to date transportation company in the country. It was President Mellen whom Pres. Theodore Roosevelt consulted when he framed some of his policies and it is President Taft who now consults him for ideas. New Hampshire believes in this native son of hers, and the people fully believe that he will give New Hampshire what she most desires—an up to date railroad.

He has true to his promise, taken the road entirely out of politics and has gone to the people with his ideas. He asks nothing for the railroad but a "square deal," and here is where Governor Bass has his opportunity; he should not permit himself or his followers to play politics, but should see that President Mellen is treated fairly. The public are tired of the statements that the Democrats will, for political purposes, do so and so, or the standpatters will do so and so, and the "Progressives will do so and so." Governor Bass would not have been elected Governor if it hadn't been for the old guard, and he knows it, and he also knows that the best interests of the state demand that the efforts of President Mellen should be encouraged.

The question of who is going to fill the future offices or be U. S. senator will be settled by the people but the individual who believes that he is going to land by fighting against New Hampshire's progress will find he is mistaken. It is time for the people to get together and make the best of New Hampshire's opportunity to boom. This section of the state is interested—the White Mountain section is interested and the entire state is watching with interest the progress that President Mellen has started.

Let the people demand that the legislature assist rather than retard the work of building up the state.

BIRDSEYE VIEWS

The donor of the $1,250,000 dental infirmary deserves nothing less than a golden crown.

The wolf which has been besieging famine stricken China's door is now reinforced by the Russian bear.

The Cambridge physician who said that everyone at some time in life is bordering on the verge of insanity, was perhaps passing the allotted portion of his existence in that condition when he made the assertion.

Amos Lawrence Allen's death is deplored by a grateful constituency, whom he ever served faithfully.

Since it has outgrown her authority Portugal might profit by Brazil's experience and handle her navy with gloves.

Let us hope that the benefits of the forest reserve bill will be not only for Weeks, but for months, years and centuries.

The Jones Brewery workmen who get Wednesday holidays probably think that half a loaf is better than working all the week.

It would be nice if reciprocity also included free advice from our British cousins on the acceleration of the wheels of justice in this country.

Thomas L. Masson has offered $5 to the first boy or girl who sees the first robin in his home town of Glen Ridge, N. Y. By this bit of strategy Life is assured a scoop, we suppose.

Coming so closely upon his condemnations of the prevailing college yell, President Lowell's annual report, just issued, presumably in some way sounds a note of good cheer.

It was to be expected that the brave life savers' pension bill should be blocked by a representative from the interior, who is as ignorant of the justice of their plea as he is of the rudiments of fair play.

If Dennis Lynch, the White Star line passenger who resented the insinuation that he was a Dutchman, had passed his card to his accuser instead of proceeding to shoot up the ship, his argument would have been much more conclusive.

The toothpick manufacturers say they cannot account for the slump in prices. Evidently they haven't happened to think that, in the best society, toothpicks are not now considered good form, says the Biddeford Journal. Then are we to understand that the best society is possessed with a sudden access of savoir vivre?

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

A Trick on Brave Men

That was a very unfair advantage which Congressman Mann took of the life savers of the United States when he called a morning committee hearing on the naval appropriation bill that could not be held as the house was in session. This section deprived the friends of the life saving service from presenting their case to the committee. The act was the more exasperating as it is understood a majority of the committee favor establishing a pension system for men who patrol our coast.

A body of men more deserving of fair treatment by the government does not exist. Brave beyond discretion in the discharge of their hazardous duties, existing somehow on very small pay, oftentimes leaving families almost destitute, saving human beings at the risk of their own lives, always obedient to the strict rules of the service and content to die in harness, these life savers cannot be too well cared for by the federal government. Congress should promptly provide for them in their old age.—Boston Globe.

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A TIMELY TOPIC

—BY—

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Value of Dreams as an Aid to the Physician

If you have a soul prepare to submit it to medical analysis. If there is something wrong with your digestion or your nervous system don't tell your family physician what you ate for dinner. Just state what you dreamed last night.

We can dream more in a minute than we can act in a year, and we only remember the dreams which come to us in the moments immediately preceding waking. Besides, it is possible for a physician to suggest what dreams his patient shall have. I have been doing that for the last twelve years. The value of unsuggested dreams isn't worth an iota in a court of justice.

HORSES SHOULD BE PROTECTED BY BLANKETS

In a brief statement issued Monday State Agent Howard O. Nelson of the New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals impresses upon animal owners the necessity of blanketing horses, of keeping them sharply shod and of exercising care in selecting the water they give them to drink.

"Horses must be blanketed," said Mr. Nelson. "With their heavy coats upon them they quickly sweat in this changeable weather. If left standing uncovered a sudden drop in the temperature causes them to catch cold from which they have small chance to recover.

"It is commonly known that a horse not sharply shod will slip on the icy roadway and is constantly in danger of fracturing a bone in the legs. As to water, a horse should be permitted to drink often and the chill should be taken from the water.

"If a horse goes too long without drinking he gorges himself, filling his body with ice cold water. A chill settles upon him and a critical illness is apt to prevail."

The state laws regulating the control of animals must be obeyed," said Mr. Nelson. "Carless owners and drivers must face the courts."

WANT MEETING PLACE

Girls Talking of Organization of a Club

The girls of Portsmouth who would like to have a social meeting-place in the evenings where they can enjoy music, dancing and games, as well as classes of various lines, if desired, are cordially invited to an open social meeting on this evening at a quarter to eight, in the annex to Pythian hall in the Freeman Block. Miss Jean Hamilton, Secretary of the National League of Women Workers, is here to try what other clubs have done and what may be accomplished in Portsmouth. While sociability is the first object, many clubs enjoy classes in millinery, shirtwaist making, embroidery, stencilling, gymnastics, cooking, and various art, travel and literature courses, any of which could be undertaken here if a sufficient number are interested. These clubs are all self governing, electing their own officers and deciding all matters by a majority vote, and paying a small monthly fee. It is to be hoped that there will be an enthusiastic response to the opportunities it can offer here in Portsmouth.

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KITTERY LETTER

Kittery, Feb. 21.

All who are interested in the Fourth Annual Reunion to be held at the Twentieth Century Club, 3 Joy street, Boston, will be pleased to hear that the date has been set for Wednesday evening, March 8th. The success of a year ago seems well assured and all who may wish to enjoy one of the most pleasant occasions of the year are cordially invited to join with the Sons and Daughters of Kittery on the above named date. Jesse A. Dill, the noted caterer of Melrose, Mass., has been engaged, while Haerns Orchestra will supply the music. Tickets, or information cheerfully supplied by apply to B. F. Joy, 38 Pearl Street, Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Edward E. Shapleigh was hostess of the Pine Hill Whist club Monday evening and she made the occasion a memorable one for the members, it being in observance of her twentieth wedding anniversary. An enormous cherry pie reposed in state as the "piece de resistance" and the members adorned themselves with sprigs of cherry from the decorations. Ice cream and fancy cake were also served. The winners at whist were first prize, Mrs. Auville R. Young, second, Mrs. Thomas Morrow and third Mrs. William Burrowes. Mrs. Morrow will entertain the club next week. All had a delightful time and wished their popular hostess many happy returns.

Winfield Bunker of York has accepted a call on the navy yard.

Miss Helen Ireland of Salem will arrive in town tonight to attend the reunion and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Patch.

This evening occurs the annual reunion of the Kittery High School Alumni Association in Wentworth hall, and a very pleasant time is expected. Many former High School pupils from out of town will attend.

The Ladies' Fancy Work club met this afternoon with Mrs. William F. Garrett of Newmarch street.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Isaac Farr of Fort Hill.

Miss Eva Lambert of Gorham Normal school is at home to pass the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lambert of Commercial street.

Kenneth, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maby of Love lane, has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Emery, who have been visiting Mr. Emery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Emery of Government street, have returned to their home in Concord.

Mrs. Georgie Chamberlain of Somerville is in town to attend the Kittery High school alumni reunion this evening.

Miss Georgia Knight today resumed her duties as teacher at the Wentworth school after an illness.

Marshall Stimson of Lynn is here for the Kitetry High School Alumni reunion.

Two basket ball games are scheduled for the holiday in Grange hall, betwen the Crescents and the "S. S.'s" and betwen the Traip Academy and the Portsmouth Business school girls.

Mrs. Amanda Greenleaf of Somerville, a former Kittery High School teacher, is here for the Alumni reunion tonight.

The funeral of Horace Jenkins was held Monday afternoon from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Abrams of Newmarch street. The Rev. Edward H. Macy of the Second Christian church, officiated followed by the Odd Fellows' service. The body was placed in a tomb at Orchard Grove cemetery under the direction of Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

Constitution lodge, K. of P., No. 88, meets this evening.

Riverside Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 72, held its regular meeting Monday evening.

Meetings will be held at the Second Methodist church tomorrow at 10.30 a. m., and 2.30 and 7.30 p. m. These are in connection with the revival services now being held there under Rev. J. W. Gillies of Peabody, Mass., and the pastor, Rev. Fred Norcross.

Kittery Point

Fred J. P. Chase received word on Monday of the death of his father, Jonathan Chase in Boston, and immediately left for there with his wife and daughter Gladys.

The K. F. G. Fancy Work club meets Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Granville O. Berry.

Capt. Thomas F. Amee, who has been ill, is slowly recovering.

Mrs. A. C. Dennett of Portsmouth is visiting Miss Ethel M. Mitchell during the absence of her mother, Mrs. Horace Mitchell, who is with her husband in Augusta this week.

Fremont Allen of North Berwick was a business visitor here Monday.

Semi-Annual Sale of Footwear

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Men's 4-buckle Jersey Cloth Arctics, high grade $3.25 to.....$2.65
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Men's 4-buckle heavy Arctic, sizes 7 and 13, $3.00 to $2.25
Men's 1-buckle heavy Arctic, sizes 6, 7, 8, 12, $1.75 to $1.35
Men's 1 and 2-buckle Felts and Rubbers, large sizes, from $2.75 and $3.25 to .....$2.25 and $2.50
Men's Ball Band Storm King Rubber Boots, sizes 10 and 11, from $5.25 to $4.19
Men's light Rubbers, $1.00 to 80c
Boy's 1st uality Rubbers, 85c to 69c
Short Rubber Boots, Boys' sizes 3 to 6, $3.00 to $2.50; Ladies' $3.50 to $2.00; Childs' $1.50 to $1.15; Child's Storm Kings $2.00 to $1.50.
Ladies' $4.00 and $3.50 Queen Quality $3.00
Ladies' $3.00 Mayfair $2.45
Ladies' $2.50 and $2.00 Shoes $1.60
Ladies' $2.00 French Heel Slippers $1.25
Men's $4.00 and $3.50 Patents $2.75
Misses' Hi-Cut Button Boots $2.00 to $1.50
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Miss Lizzie Collins of Portsmouth visited her mother, Mrs. Howard Collins on Monday.

Miss Ellen Blake, who has been ill, is out of doors again.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Perry of South Berwick have been visiting Mr. Mrs. Fred W. Dorr.

Mrs. Ellen C. Frisbee has returned from a visit in Boston and Gloucester.

Miss Alma Thomas of West Medford, formerly of this town, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Chester Cutts.

Miss Phyllis Coes of Malden is visiting Miss Hazel A. Weeks.

It is said that Car No. 34 of the Atlantic Shore line was one of the coaches oft he original American railroad in 1833, and certainly appearances will not disprove the rumor. The ancient vehicle is fast winning the same secure place in the hearts of the road's patrons which was enjoyed by the venerable four wheelers, which now, alas, have passed on to their reward.

The M. C. Whist club met Monday evening with Mrs. William A. Symonds. First gentlemen's prize was won by Capt. T. Burton Hoyt, second by E. Leroy Tobey and third by William A. Symonds. First ladies' prize was captured by Mrs. T. Burton Hoyt, second by Mrs. Victor E. Amee and third by Mrs. William A. Symonds. Mrs. E. Leroy Tobey will entertain the club next week.

Miss Alice N. Patch is confined to her home by illness.

The Ladies' Circle of the Congregational church met this afternoon at the old parsonage.

Capt. and Mrs. T. Burton Hoyt leave Wednesday on a two weeks' visit with relatives in Boston.

North Kittery

Mrs. Hannah Bartlett has a bad case of the grip.

Miss Gertrude Knight and Miss Ella Gordon of Saco have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pettigrew for several days.

Mrs. Charles Grant of New York and her sister, Miss Edith Remick, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Remick's on Wednesday. Mrs. Grant is to leave for her home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ami Manson will go to Michigan this spring to remain with Mrs. Manson's parents.

Mrs. Gladys Moulton, who has been ill, is not improving as fast as her friends would like.

Mrs. Grace Thomas, who has been ill, is about the house.

Look for local news on every page of the Herald.

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OGUNQUIT

Large numbers of robins appeared here last week, and appeared as lively and happy as though it was May. This week their tune has changed.

Special revival union meetings are being held every night this week in the churches here and there appears to be a good interest.

Teams here are very scarce and it is nearly impossible to get enough to do the work there is to be done.

Fine winter weather, and excellent sledding. About six or seven inches of snow on the ground, and the thermometer registers at zero or below every morning.

Mrs. Martha Brooks, one of the old residents of the place, died last Saturday after a very short illness.

Mrs. Mary Maxwell, the clerk in the postoffice, is still confined to the house with a severe cold.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

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CHILDREN ARE BARRED FROM ALL GATHERINGS

Board of Health Issue Sweeping Orders to Prevent Spread of Measles.

The Board of Health, through the chairman, Dr. C. E. Johnston, on Monday evening, issued sweeping orders forbidding the gathering of children in this city, until after the epidemic of measles has run its course. On Monday evening he personally notified the managers of all three of the amusement houses that they must exclude all children under sixteen years of age from every performance. This applies to every child and the managers of the places will see that it is strictly enforced.

Dr. Johnston on Monday evening, stated that the order applies to every place where there were gatherings, dances, meetings of all kinds, and Sunday schools—in fact, it is intended to keep the children under sixteen years of age out of places and keep them out in the air or at home.

Monday evening Dr. Johnston stated that there were considerably over two hundred cases of measles in this city, and the Board had shut up all of the schools and had issued the sweeping orders against gatherings of children with a hope of being able to stamp out the disease. There are but two cases of diphtheria in the city, and one of these is from Rye, a student at the High school. This is the cause of the closing of the High school along with the graded schools.

The health officers state that there is no great cause for alarm, but the great many cases of measles have caused the officers to become worried over the further spread of the disease. Its original spread was mainly due to the great many cases that have not been reported.

The health officers expect that the orders will be strictly enforced.

$100,000 FOR QUAY WALLS

Amendment Added to the Naval Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 20.

Mr. F. W. Hartford,

Editor The Herald:

Got $100,000 for quay wall extension.

(Signed)

C. A. SULLOWAY.

The above telegram was received on Monday evening and it is a good bit of news for the navy yard. It means that Congressman Sulloway, when the Naval Appropriation bill was taken up in the House for consideration late on Monday afternoon, succeeded in getting an amendment, appropriating the sum of $100,000 for the quay wall extension. This means that it will pass the house and it is sure to be retained in the senate, when it comes to Senator Gallinger's committee.

If there is anyone thing that this yard requires is a sufficient docking room at the yard. The quay walls that have been built are all taken up with the ships at the yard now, and if two more cruisers arrive at one time, it is hard to find docking room without shifting the other ships about. With this amount for wall extension, from the coaling plant down the river in the direction of Henderson's Point, the yard will be all the better prepared to care for the increased amount of work that is coming to this yard.

In time it is hoped to have a continuous wall from Henderson's Point to the drydock, as the facilities are unsurpassed at any naval station in the country for such docks.

RAILROAD NOTES

A crew of workmen from this city from the firm of C. H. Holmes & Co., went to Lynn this morning where they will start the work of tearing down that part of the Lynn depot which is to be moved to Durham.

The wrecking train and crew from this city were called to Salmon Falls on Monday afternoon where a broken axle on the rear car of a passenger train caused a mix up.

Seventy boilermakers employed by the Boston and Albany railroad, Boston, are out on a strike. The men are members of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers. The strike is a sympathetic one, according to officials of the road, who declare that local working conditions are satisfactory to the men. The same officials say that the strike has reference to conditions in Ohio and that the operation of the road is not effected in the least. About 1,800 boilermakers are employed on the New York Central and Lake Shore System.

Foreman E. W. Weeks of the Boston and Maine wrecker and Engineer George Mudgett are in Boston today where they are receiving instructions as to the handling of the new steam derrick shortly to be sent to Portsmouth as part of the new wrecking outfit.

BIG GIFT TO EXETER

Alumnus Completes $50,000 Fund in Honor of Prof. Wentworth

By the receipt of a gift of $18,744 from an alumnus Phillips Exeter now completes the $50,000 Wentworth mathematical fund, in honor of the late Prof. George A. Wentworth. At a meeting of the trustees held in Boston Saturday Prof. William A. Francis, who has been profesor of mathematics since 1892, becomes Wentworth professor of mathematics.

Efforts are now being made to complete the fun to establish the chair of ancient languages, to be known as the Bradbury L. Cilly professorship, $2750 having already been paid and pledges, received for several thousand more.

It is expected that the $300,000 teachers' endowment fund will be completed this year.

The trustees now have under consideration the erection of a great swimming pool, one class as an anniversary gift having pledged $15,000 for the purpose. About $10,000 will be required.

ANNUAL DONATION

Methodist Society Brings Joy Into Home for Aged Women

The Methodist society gave its annual donation Monday evening at the Home for Aged Women, the donations including a barrel of flour and a sum of money besides several other much appreciated gifts. A pleasant evening was enojyed by all, and the following program was especially praiseworthy:

Vocal Duet, J. T. Davis, Miss Henrietta Beyer.
Reading, Rev. L. L. Gaither
Piano Solo, Miss Marguerite Jonness
Reading, Mr. Gaither
Vocal Duet, J. T. Davis, Miss Beyer
Reading, Mr. Gaither

LOCAL DASHES

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Frances Pettigrew, Wednesday at 3 o'clock.

The York high school and the Thornton academy of Saco girls' basketball teams will play on Wednesday at York.

Phil Ott and his merry band of comedians are due at Music Hall for a two days' engagement on Friday and Saturday of this week.

The legislature members went back on Monday evening, as there were several committee meetings for last night. They expect a busy week.

The fourth in the Country Club's dancing assemblies will be held on Friday evening. Mrs. H. E. Philbrook and Mrs. Morgan Dada are the patronesses.

Have your cleaning done by Robbins' power machine, whether your house is wired or not. Rugs, carpets, draperies and furniture. F. A. Robbins, 115 Market street. tf

A queer find was made on Feb. 16 by the steamer Elthier, now at Portland, she having picked up near the Isles of Shoals a large life buoy marked "Ransom B. Fuller." The steamer of that name has been tied up at East Boston since the first of the winter and it is rather curious how one of her life buoys came to be floating in the locality mentioned

SOUTH ELIOT

Saturday evening was the time of a very pleasant gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lauriston L. Gould of Main street when they celebrated their joint birthdays. Guests were present from out of town and from here. Music was furnished throughout the evening by Mr. Andrew Goodwin's Orchestra. Fancy dancing exhibits were given by Miss Cecelia Theoret of Salmon Falls, N. H., and Mr. Frank Knight and Mrs. L. L. Gould of South Eliot. Fancy dances were also danced by various couples.

Refreshments were served during the evening consisting of ice cream, cake, candy, oranges and cookies, the principal feature being the birthday cake which was artistically decorated. Mr. and Mrs. Gould received a large number of presents. Mrs. Gould gave Mr. Gould a large portrait of his father, who is Mr. Charles Gould of Methuen, Mass., and he presented he her with an up to date Singer Sewing Machine. All departed a late hour wishing Mr. and Mrs. Gould many happy returns of the day.

The Epworth League of the South Eliot Methodist church will have a sale of homemade food and candy at the vestry Thursday, Feb. 23 at 2.30 p. m.

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Get this comfort for yourself. Just send us your name and address. Do it today. It brings you a list of all five hundred different names of Goodyear Welts, the shoes that are real leather and smooth inside. Some are sure to be sold right in your town. Get this list before you buy another pair of shoes. Two booklets will also be sent you free, one graphically describing the sixty machines, the other—"The Secret of The Shoe."

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ATTACKS THE NEWSPAPERS

Washington, Feb. 20—Hearings on the McCall bill to carry out the provisions of the Canadian reciprocity agreement were begun today by the senate committee on finance. In the forenoon the only witness was John Strange of Neenah, Wis., a paper manufacturer and ex-lieutenant governor of his state. Mr. Strange opposed the bill in vigorous language, charging that false sentiment in favor of it had been manufactured by a league of newspapers, which he believed to be in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Senators Lodge, Cullom, Flint and Stone had difficulty in keeping Mr. Strange to his subject. Several times Senator Lodge sharply demanded something other than attacks upon the motives of newspapers in their demands for cheaper paper.

John Norris, chairman of the paper committee of the American newspaper publishers' association was an interested listener to Mr. Strange's testimony. He said that later he would have something to say on the subject himself.

Sifted of its attack upon newspapers and other organizations which favor the agreement, Mr. Strange's statement contained the following arguments:

That this country has no more need for Canadian pulp wood than it has for Canadian disease germs; that spruce is not necessary to paper making, as any wood which has a fiber will suffice, and there are many woods which are better than spruce; that the firs of the northwest make excellent paper, and that there is nothing better than the soft woods of the south.

In connection with the statement that timber of the south, Mr. Strange said that if the democrats knew what they were about they would take such action as would make them the future paper makers of the country.

Mr. Strange declared that Wisconsin, Minnesota and West Virginia in 20 years would be growing enough for all the mills of the country, and that paper making was just developing in the south, through the utilization of timber unfit for lumber.

These statements were brought out chiefly by questions from Senator Hale, whose evident purpose was to show that Canadian timber for paper-making was not needed in this country; that there was sufficient standing timber for immediate needs, with conservation already taking due care for the future.

Senator Hale referred to "pounding by the press," and asked if there was not a great deal of apprehension because of the attitude of the newspapers. Mr. Strange said that that was true, and launched into a criticism of newspaper methods which, he declared, were resorted to for purposes of intimidation.

Mr. Strange asserted that the agreement could not cheapen paper and would only transfer the paper making industry to Canada.

Senator Burrows presided. Other senators present were Hale, Penrose, Cullom, Lodge, Smoot, McCumber, Flint, Simmons and Stone. Shortly after 11 a. m. a call of the senate compelled a recess until afternoon.

EVERY MINE HITS TARGET

Coast Artillery Company Makes a Perfect Record.

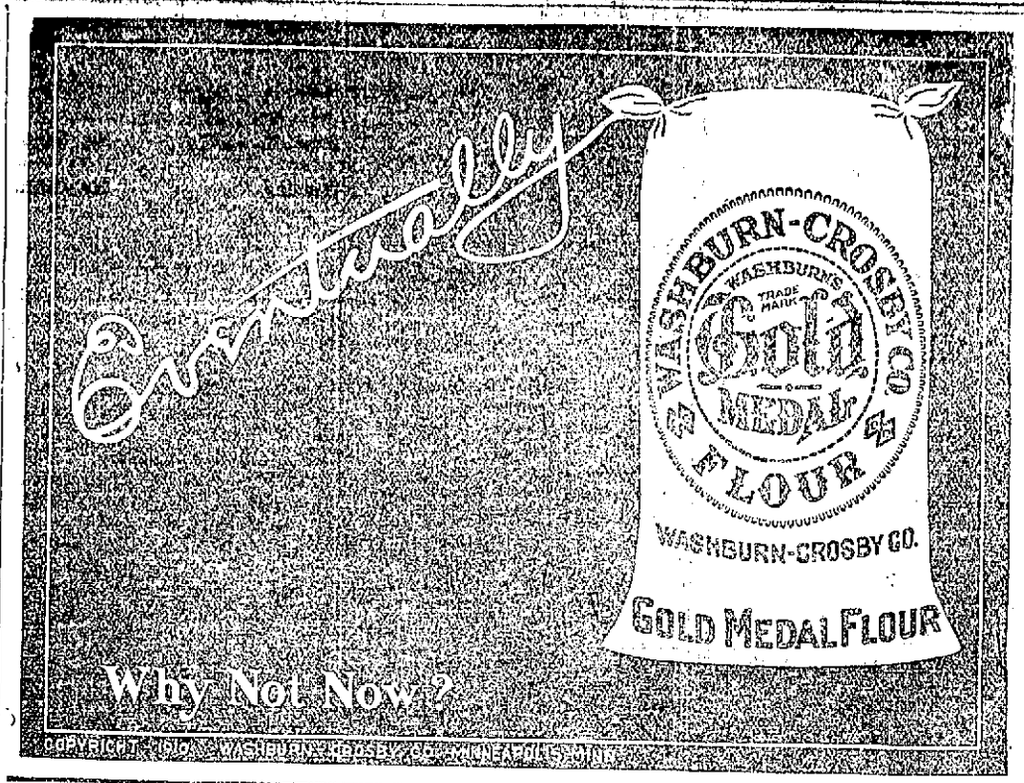
One hundred per cent is the record in submarine firing made by the 163d Company of Coast Artillery stationed at Fort Barrancas, Fla., Which has been at practice for several days. Every mine exploded in the harbor demolished the target by what is known as "judgment firing," observations being made by means of optical instruments.

DESTROYER MONAGHAN LAUNCHED

Christened by Sister of Hero Ensign for Whom It Was Named

The United States torpedo boat destroyer Monaghan was successfully launched at the plant of the Newport News shipbuilding and dry dock company Saturday.

The sponsor was Miss Eleanor H. Monaghan, a sister of the naval officer for whom the vessel was named. Ensign John Robert Monaghan of Spokane, Wash., who lost his life in an engagement with the Samoans, near Aipa, April 1, 1899. He died, according to the report of Captain White, "in the heoric performance of his duty, one brave man against a score of savages," trying to save his comrade, Lieutenant Philip V. Lansdale.



REVISED LIST OF FIRE ALARM BOXES IN THIS CITY

If you have no fire alarm card cut out this list for future reference. In printing this, this paper gives the first correct list since Box No. 8 was changed to the central fire station and the new box, 212, was added to the system.

5 Dennett street, corner Thornton.
7 Dennett street, corner Maplewood avenue.
8 Central fire station, Court street, for assistance.
9 Deer street, corner Vaughan.
14 Market street, corner Russell.
16 High street, corner Hanover.
17 Daniel street, corner Bow.
19 Water street, corner Court.
23 State street, corner Washington.
24 Gates street, corner Washington.
25 South Ward Room.
26 South street and South School streets.
27 Elwyn avenue, corner Lincoln avenue.
28 Corner Broad street and Lincoln avenue.
29 Wibird street, corner Hawthorn.
32 Middle street, corner State.
35 Wibird street, corner Middle.
36 Jones Brewery, private.
37 Islington street, corner Cass.
38 Eldredge Brewery, private.
39 Spaulding School House, Bartlett street.
41 Austin street, corner Summer.
43 Cabot street, corner Islington.
45 Gale Shoe Factory, Islington street.
46 McDonough street, corner Brewster.
48 Hanover street, corner Bridge.
51 Market street, corner Bow.
53 Kearsarge House, Congress street.
56 Central Fire Station, Court street.
58 Old Police Station, Market square.
63 Miller avenue, corner Rockland street.
67 Middle street, corner Lafayette road.
75 Woodbury avenue, corner Echo avenue.
76 Morley Button Co., private.
78 Junction Islington street and Spinney's road.
81 South street, corner Sagamore avenue.
86 Sagamore avenue, corner Little Harbor road.
113 Plains, Middle road.
117 Cutts street, opposite William R. Clark's.
212 Cottage Hospital.

Moving pictures (fire scenes) will be shown at No. 4's Ball Ladies admitted free. tf118

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And a choice of autos. The Hupmobile 4 cyl 20 hp., runabout $750, torpedo $850, touring car $900, coupe $1,100. Cadillac 30 (Standard of the world) runabout, 4 passenger and touring cars $1700. Fore door $1800; torpedo $1850, coupe $2500, limousine $3000.

McIntyre trucks $500 to $1050, ton truck $1350; 1000 delivery $1000.

CHAS. E. WOODS, Agent.
Bow Street. tf

MET FIRST AT YORK HARBOR

New York, Feb. 20—George S. Griscom, Jr., came out today at the hotel Chalfonte, Atlantic City, with a full and conclusive story, telling all that he knows concerning the mysterious disappearance of his fiancee, Miss Dorothy H. C. Arnold, 70 days ago.

He said that Miss Arnold's letter, in which she declared to him that she might do something "cowardly," followed a threat of suicide made to her father when he objected to Griscom's courtship.

The lawyers seen also declared that he had had a positive agreement with Mrs. Arnold, mother of the girl, that his engagement to Miss Arnold was to be announced last October.

Mr. Griscom's statement was made to a reported today in order to set at rest, once for all, all the false reports concerning the friendship of the lawyer a time when my visits were not received with approval from Mrs. Arnold."

Mr. Griscom was asked by the reporter about the attitude of Mr. Arnold, Sr., and he said: "Dorothy and I had her mother's approval and the hope of getting the consent of Mr. Arnold after my return with my parents from our European tour.

"I knew nothing of Mr. Arnold's opyer's son for the missing girl.

When Mr. Griscom was seen today he was told of a story printed in a New York paper to the effect that he had aided a friend of his to meet Miss Arnold in Europe and marry her there.

"That report is not only false but utterly ridiculous," said Mr. Griscom. He was then silent for a few moments and added: "I will tell you everything I know. I am tired of having these false reports spread about me, and I am going to tell you just what I have had to do with this case.

"I first met Miss Arnold last August at York Harbor, Me., where she was staying with her parents. I had been in my father's summer home in Nantucket and went to York Harbor to visit some friends. There I met Miss Arnold and fell in love with her.

"I staid there for two weeks, and when I left we were virtually engaged. I corresponded with her during the remainder of the summer, and I want to say that Mrs. Arnold gave her entire approval of my courtship.

"When I left to return to New York I called and paid my respects to the family. Miss Arnold was not at home. I called again a couple days later and saw Miss Arnold. There was no position to me." Mr. Griscom continued, "until after I had reached Europe with my parents. Then Dorothy wrote saying there had been incessant quarrels between her father and mother over me. She and her mother, it seemed, had taken sides against Mr. Arnold, but he refused to be won over to their way of thinking.

"I got several letters from Dorothy while I was in Al Les Bains, France. Each one grew more and more despondent in its tone. Then I went to Florence and found a letter awaiting me there. This letter was cheery and full of condence. Dorothy wrote that she had great hopes of winning her father around to give his consent.

"A few days afterward, however, I got another letter from her, in which she said that her father had once again declared he would never consent to my becoming his son-in-law, and that there was no hope of him ever changing his mind.

"It was in this letter that she said she might do something that I would think cowardly. That was the last time I ever heard from her.

"I know nothing of her disappearance until I got those cablegrams and when Mrs. Arnold visited me in Florence. I have since made up my mind that Dorothy is either hiding, or that she has committed suicide, as I understand she made such threats to her family."

Detectives, who are said to be in the pay of the Griscoms, are today watching the Arnold home at 108 East 72d street. The strangers have been hovering around the house for the last 24 hours, and refuse to say for what agency they work, or in whose hire they are.

Dist. Atty. Whitman today began an investigation into the strange disappearance of Miss Arnold. This move on the part of the district attorney is in compliance with an appeal made to the district attorney by the father of the missing girl Saturday afternoon.

Lorenzo D. Armstrong of Garvan & Armstrong, counsel for the Arnold family, denounced today as absurd and untrue the story that Dorothy Arnold had secretly married a Wall street clerk and had gone to Europe for a wedding trip.

"The family of Miss Arnold have no knowledge whatever of such a marriage," Mr. Arnold added. "Nor was there any quarrel between Miss Arnold and her father, as reported.

"Any sensible person can at once see if Miss Arnold had married a young Wall street clerk, as alleged there would be no motive in the world for her to conceal the fact and bring mental distress upon her family by so doing."

ELECTED TWELVE MEMBERS

Portsmouth Lodge of Elks Add to Their Membership List at a Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Portsmouth lodge of Elks was held on Monday evening and twelve members were elected and the applications of twenty-three others received. These will be acted upon after the usual time.

The twelve members elected will form part of the class that will be initiated at the meeting to be held on Washington's birthday evening.

At the meeting last evening the ladies who conducted the valentine party were given a vote of thanks.

In the bowling game Monday evening J. F. Mooney defeated J. F. Lamb, three points to two. This gives the Bills 110 points to the Bucks 105.

YOUNG MEN'S GUILD

Elect Officers and Have a Social Hour

The annual meeting of the Young Men's Guild of the Middle Street Baptist church was held on Monday evening and the following officers elected:

President, Lyman Macdonald.
Vice President, Fred Folsom.
Secretary, Roy A. Macdonald.
Treasurer, Norman E. Rand.
Board of Directors, William I. Rand, Philip H. Sanderson and Charles Tanner.

A social gathering was held following the election.

STORM GENERAL THROUGHOUT NEW ENGLAND

The snow storm of Monday during which about five inches of snow fell, in this section, was general through New England and in the central states. There was no heavy fall reported, and the snow was so light that there was little delay in travel.

There were five simple drunks on the police blotter last evening.

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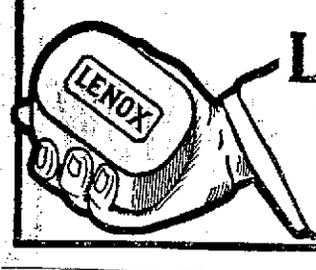

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EARTHQUAKE IN TURKEY

Constantinople, Feb. 20—A violent earthquake was experienced at Monastir and elsewhere throughout the vilayet of Monastir, today. There was some loss of life.

Several mosques and houses were demolished. The population is camping out and is suffering intensely with the cold. The authorities have appealed to the government for 300 tents and relief funds.

Monastir is a town of European Turkey, capital of the vilayet of Monastir, in Macedonia, 85 miles northwest of Salonikl. The population, which is estimated at 45,000, is a medley of all the nationalities to be found in Macedonia, the Christians numbering about half of the total

The school children under sixteen years of age were rather delighted at the idea of a week's vacation, but some of this will be taken off when they find that they are restricted from all places of amusement during the week.

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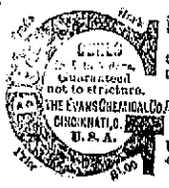

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BATTLESHIPS TO BE OIL BURNERS

Washington, Feb. 20.—When the plans for the two battleships to be appropriated for by this session of congress are submitted for final approval it will be recommended that their motive power be derived from fuel oil exclusively. This will be the first time any power of the world has taken this step. Briefly the advantages of the use of fuel oil which has great weight with the officials of the department in their conclusions were:

Reduction in the weights and space required for boilers; reduction of the firerooin personnel; elimination of ashes and cinders, and the practical elimination of smoke, and an increase in the cruising radius. The principal advantages from a military point of view of oil burning in a turbine driven vessel, it is pointed out, lies in the ability of such a vessel to be driven at full power with but slightly greater effort on the part of the personnel than at low speed, and in the fact that full speed can be maintained for periods limited only by the supply of oil fuel.

That oil burning battleships have not been tried abroad is due entirely to the fact that with the exception of Russia, no European nation has a supply of oil that can be depended on in time of war. It therefore is pointed out by officials of the navy department it is only logical that the United States, producing more than one half of the world's supply of fuel oil, should be the first to take advantage of oil-burning battleships.

All the destroyers now building and authorized and probably all to be built in the future, will subsist on oil as fuel. The work of these destroyers is with the fleet, and being thus committed to the supply of torpedo boats with oil at all bases it will be as easy and incur no additional outlaw to supply battleships.

In an address delivered recently Hutch I. Cone, engineer-in-chief of the navy, conclusively answered opposition arguments. He said:

"Our experience with liquid fuel, while limited, has been sufficient to convince me that, considered from an engineering point of view, the expediency of its use to the exclusion of coal in battleships i clearly indicated. In time of war we must depend on the fuel stored at our naval bases or carried in our cargo vessels, and it is easier to store and carry oil than coal in battleships is clearly indicated pleted. oiling stations at our possessions in the Pacific, together with some oil-carrying vssels, would afford a certainty of fuel supply at least equal to that now provided for coal."

WAR CLAIMS BILL PASSED HOUSE

Washington, Feb. 20—The war claims bill passed the house today at 12.46 p. m., after having been under consideration since last Friday, because of a filibuster waged against it.

It was still the legislative day of Friday in the house when that body met at 10 a. m. today, in pursuance of the recess of the 28-hour session, ordered shortly before 4 yesterday afternoon.

One of the omnibus claims bills which have held the house in a tangle since Friday last was still under consideration today. It was the house bill carrying war claims only, and omitting the French spoliation and navy yard overtime claims, and there was still a filibuster proceeding against the measure.

Mr. Mann of Illinois, who had commanded the filibuster under which the French claims were stricken out, was lined up with those in favor of the bill, but several advocates of the spoilation claims, largely New Englanders, had taken up the fight against the bill.

As soon as the house convened the point of no quorum was made and a roll call was ordered. The clerk reported 201 members present, a quorum. The reading of the omnibus bill for amendment was begun. The vote to take up the bill was 156 to 46.

Representative Roberts of Massachusetts, one of the new filibusters, offered as an amendment the entire list of French claims and demanded the reading of the 70 printed pages. Mr. Mann made a point of order that the amendment was not germane.

While this point was pending, Representative Daizell of Pennsylvania brought in from the committee on rules a so-called "gag rule," providing for the suspension of the rules on all bills from now until the end of the session. Whenever suspension is invoked, it limits all discussion. Mr. Daizell said the state of the public business required the adoption of the rule.

The great majority of the democrats in the house voted with the republicans, 173 to 43, for the adoption of the rule. It provides that all house rules can be suspended on a two-thirds vote during the remainder of the session.

The democratic leaders announced that they were willing to do anything in reason to assist their republican brethren out of the predicament in which they found themselves, so near the end of the session. The adoption of the rule, which was characterized by Mr. Bennett of New York as a "gag" had the effect of ending the the three days' filibuster against the omnibus war claims bill, which provides for the payment of $1,160,000 of war claims but does not include any French spoilation of navy yard overtime claims.

The claims bill was passed by a two-thirds vote. The yeas and nays were not demanded.

The rule adopted by the house today practically puts the entire condition of affairs for the next two weeks in the hands of the speaker.

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Manchester, N. H., Feb. 20—The utilization of the site of the million-dollar race track at Salem, N. H., for the erection of the large construction and repair shops which the Boston & Maine railroad is understood to be planning, will be urged upon the company officials this week by a committee from the New Hampshire Board of Trade.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the board held in this city last week it was unanimously voted to bring to the attention of the Boston and Maine officials the availability of this site, which directly adjoins the tracks of the Manchester and Lawrence branch of the Portland division of the railroad and is only a few miles north of Lawrence, Mass.

The committee appointed consists of William Savacool, president of the Manchester Board of Trade; James Crowley, president of the Nashua Board of Trade, and George E. Worcester, president of the Milford Board of Trade.

Soon after the building of the race track, chiefly by New York capitalists, stringent anti-race track betting laws were enforced in this state. As a result, after one brief season of racing, the New England Breeders' association, which operated the track, went into the hands of receivers. The property is now in the hands of Natt W. Hobbs of Concord as trustee.

PLAN $62,400,000 FOR WAR; ADVISE PEACE

Austrian Committee Passes Budget—Socialist's Italian Proposition Killed.

The Military committee of the delegations passed without amendment the army and navy estimates provided in the Austro-Hungarian budget presented by Baron Burian von Rajecz. The army estimates for the coming year are increased by $8,600,000. An extraordinary credit of $11,000,000 is planned as a first instalment toward the construction of new warships, the cost of which during the next six years will amount to $62,400,000. The committee appended a resolution urging the government of to make serious efforth on behalf of general disarmament and the development of the purposes of The Hague court of international arbitration. Dr. Ellenhogen, socialist, proposed the government be asked to open negotiations with Italy for the restriction of the naval armaments of the two countries, but his motion was rejected.

RECORD WEST POINT CLASS TO HAVE 150

Descendant of R. E. Lee to Enter With Candidates from Every State.

The new class of cadets to be admitted soon to the United States military academy will be the largest in the institution's history, numbering over 150 young men from every state in the union. Among the candidates is the first Robert Edward Lee to enter West Point in eighty-six years. The other Robert Edward Lee, who became superintendent of West Point and later commander-in-chief of the Confederate army, entered the academy in 1825, and graduated at the head of his class four years later. The present Robert Edward Lee is not a Virginian, as was the famous Confederate commander, but a native of North Carolina. He is not a direct descendant of the Confederate general, although a member of the same family. The only male descendant of Stonewall Jackson, Lee's greatest corps commander, is now a cadet at West Point, and will graduate in June. He is Thomas Jonathan Jackson Christian, General Jackson's grandson.

WAITING STRUGGLE

Which Will Result if Rebels Do Not Lay Down Their Arms in Mexico

Paris, Feb. 20—In a review of the crisis in Mexico, made today for the Associated Press, Jose Yves Limantour, minister of finance in the cabinet of President Diaz, declared that the only basis for peace was that the insurgents law down their arms, pending negotiations with the government, which on its part should grant a reform of the evils that made the revolt possible.

The only alternative that he foresaw was the probability of a long, wasting struggle, for, said the minister, "the federal troops are no match for the cowboy insurgents."

In the opinion of Senor Limantour, the federal system in Mexico must go, and the great estates in the north, which have been passed from family to family, should be distributed among the people.

Has "No Political Ambition."

For himself he said he had no political ambition, though he had been frequently urged to contest the presidency with President Diaz. He expects to start home within two weeks.

"I have no political aspirations," said Senor Liemantour in concluding the interview. "I seek merely the uplifting of my country. I have often been asked to run for the presidency, but have refused. I expect to leave Paris in a fortnight for New York and to proceed thence by steamer to Yucatan for a private visit."

Minister Limantour came to Paris early last August, in order that his wife might receive medical treatment here. Before leaving Mexico he declined a nomination for the presidency, and though he remained in the cabinet it was rumored that his relations with President Diaz were not as close as formerly.

Consequently there has been much interest in his attitude, and as to whether he would feel under the necessity of returning home during the rebellion.

A week ago it was stated that his departure from Paris had been indefinitely postponed because of Senora Limantour's condition, which, however, subsequently so improved that on Saturday the minister thought that he might start home this week. He has now decided to go in the first week of March, but to stop at Yucatan for a stay with personal friends before continuing to the capital.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

There was a try-out of the boys of the Y. M. C. A. on Monday afternoon for the test on Saturday afternoon. Another qualifying round will be held on Thursday afternoon for the same meet.

The basketball game on Wednesday afternoon will be between the Y. M. C. A. and the Newburyport Y. M. C. A., and it is expected to be a lively game.

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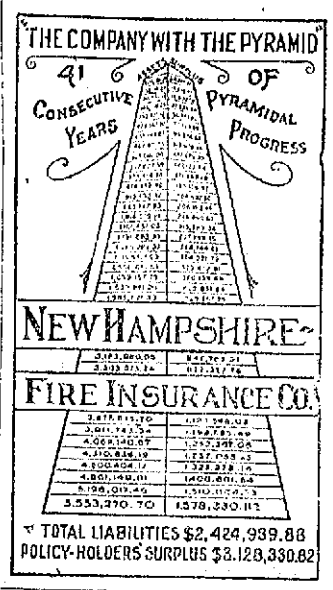

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Boston for Portsmouth—7.30, 8.40, 9.00, 10.10 a. m.; 12.50, 1.30, 3.30, 4.56, 6.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m. Sundays—4.01, 8.20, 9.00 a. m.; 1.15, 7.00, 7.30, 10.00 p. m.

Portsmouth for Portland—9.53, 10.48 a. m.; 2.43, 9.17, 11.40 p. m. Sundays—8.05, 10.48 a. m.; 9.15, 11.40 p. m.

Portsmouth for Dover—5.55, 9.46 a. m.; 12.20, 2.40, 5.22, 9.10 p. m. Sundays—8.25, 10.50 a. m.; 9.10 p. m.

Dover for Portsmouth—6.50, 10.00 a. m.; 1.08, 4.25, 6.55 p. m. Sundays—7.30 a. m.; 1.00, 9.55 p. m.

Portsmouth for Manchester and Concord—8.35 a. m.; 12.24, 5.25 p. m. Sundays—7.35 p. m.

Concord for Portsmouth—7.30, 10.25 a. m.; 3.30 p. m. Sundays—8.23 a. m.

Portsmouth for Somersworth and Rochester—5.55, 10.23 a. m.; 2.40, 3.06, 5.37 p. m. Sundays—8.25, 10.50 a. m.

Portsmouth for North Conway and Intervale—10.20 a. m.; 3.06 p. m. Sundays—8.05 a. m.

Intervale for Portsmouth and Boston—7.28 a. m.; 4.05 p. m. Sundays—4.30 p. m.

Portsmouth for Wolfboro—10.20 a. m., 3.06, 5.30 p. m.

Connections at Rockingham for Lawrence, Exeter and Haverhill, at 9.07 a. m. and 12.15, 1.52, 5.52, 7.21 p. m.

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NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

Leave Navy Yard—7.50, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45, a. m., 1.05, 1.35 2.15, 2.45, 3.20, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, *6.00, ||7.45, p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 12.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—8.25, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.34 a. m.; 12.15, 1.15, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.40, 4.10, 4.30, 4.45, 5.40, 6.10, ||10.06 p. m. Sundays—10.07, a. m.; 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00 m.

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It will be good news to the officers of the yard that there has been a provision made this year for the quay wall extensions.

The usual exercises on the life of Washington will be held in the schools on Tuesday. Wednesday will be a holiday with no session of school.

The Matinee Racing club of Dover will attract many from this city. There is some good horses in this city, but they have few opportunities to work out.

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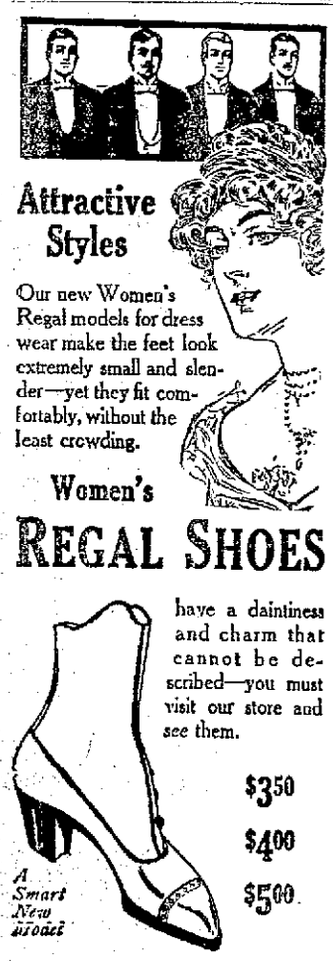

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The Herald Hears

That one of the churches of the city is shortly to dispose of some of its property.

That plans for considerable building will be carried out in the spring.

That the board of health are certainly earning all they get in salary these days.

That the fire companies have a few vacancies that are to be filled the next meeting.

That the lawmakers at Concord are really getting busy.

That after all the howl for snow and a speedway to race on the fancy horse men have their plugs tied up in the stables.

That the Consolidation Coal company are shortly to put in additional machinery at the new coal pocket at the North end.

That the summer sports will have to go some when that bunch from the supplies and accounts at the navy yard land at Newington Point the coming summer.

That it's rather peculiar that the cruisers are going into New York yard to get new searchlights when the lights have been in store here several months waiting the arrival of the ships.

That the Essem club says the American Express strong armed men at the depot are dealing out a little hot air in tug of war matters and that they can produce a team of women that can drag them off the boards.

That the Tuesday afternoon Whist club have dropped the bells.

That Portsmouth station will soon have a first class railroad wrecking outfit.

That a room to lock up confiscated booze is needed at the new police headquarters.

That the commanding officer of the Washington would have put a quietus on the hard guys had he ordered a shore patrol.

That the old headquarters of the school department on State street is still in the hands of the board of instruction.

That Portsmouth should begin now and reach out for conventions of every kind to come here this summer.

That Joshua Wetherell, who died in Newmarket recently at the age of 86 was for many years in charge of the yard of the Kearsarge mill.

That a wireless station at the Isles of Shoals the year around should come along soon.

That the horse beating delegation which comprises no small membership in this city should be taken care of quickly.

That it is expected the U. S. S. Maine will not be ready to sail before September.

That Charley Andrews is anxious to get his apparatus in working order and do honor to the position of sealer of weights and measures.

That the sports from the boiler shop at the navy yard who recently made an auto trip to Dover spent most of the night shoveling out the machine in the snow at Dover Point.

That the stunt of a South End resident who ran from a bath room and completed his bath by rolling naked in the snow of the back yard should make application for the next North Pole expedition.

NOTICE

Whist Party given by Harriet P. Dame Union at U. V. U. Hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 23, tickets twenty-five cents. Prizes and refreshments.

The advance sale for "The Time, The Place and The Girl" went on at Music Hall box office this forenoon. The attraction is billed for Thursday evening.

NAVY YARD

Vessel Movements

Arrived—Terry at Key West, Yankton at Santiago, Hannibal at Philadelphia, Bailey at Norfolk. Sailed—Prairie from Boston for Philadelphia; Dixie, Smith, Flusser, Lamson, Preston and Reid, from Guantanamo for Key West; Brutus from Sewall Point to Key West; Wheeling, from Puerto Barrios for Puerto Cortez; Paducah, from Cape Gracias-a-Dios for Cristobal; Petrel, from Guantanamo for Santo Domingo City.

Helpers Coming Back

Joseph McWilliams and John Reagan, machinists' helpers, have reported for duty after a sick leave.

Bill for Marine Schools

The Senate committee on naval affairs has favorably reported the bill for establishment of marine schools, and adds the following cities: Baltimore, Norfolk and Corpus Christi, where they shall be located.

Says Boston Yard Gets It All

During the consideration of the naval appropriation bill in the house on Monday the item for a floating crane for the Charlestown yard went out on a point of order raised by Representative Cox of Indiana. The provision in the bill was for the appropriation at this time of $150,000 toward the crane, the full cost of which is not to exceed $325,000. As it is new legislation the point of order was sustained.

Representative Roberts and Representative O'Connell of Massachusetts both spoke in favor of the item, but to no avail, Representative Roberts, thinks, however, he can persuade Mr. Cox to withdraw his objection later.

When this item was being considered Representative Fitzgerald of New York remarked that the Boston yard seemed to be getting more than its share. He attributed this, he said, to the fact that the last three secretaries of the navy, Long, Moody and Meyer were from Masachusetts.

Representative O'Connell, in replying, said that the democrats were now in contral in Massachusetts and they expected to keep up the reputation of the state after 1912 by sending to aWshington a good democratic secretary of the navy.

Cruiser Taking Coal

The schooner Nathaniel Palmer is discharging part of her cargo into the bunkers of the Washington. The remainder will be stored in the yard pocket.

Recent Injuries Among Workmen

As a result of injuries Orville Fletcher of Kittery Point, J. A. Butler, a machinist and Jacob Daub, a driller, are away from their duties at the yard. Fletcher is suffering from a sprained wrist which is the result of his arm being caught in a line on the drydock. Butler was hurt by metal falling on his right arm, and Daub sustained a bri'en rib by a fall in the hatchway on the Maine.

Thirty-Two Helpers Called

Twenty-four shipfitters' helpers and eight general helpers were called by the labor board today.

Injured By Spike

Elmer E. Wilson, a carpenter in yards and docks, while working on the yard bridge today received a blow in the right eye from a flying spike. Though the accident appeared serious it is said his eyesight will not be affected.

Calls Are Numerous

Many years have elapsed since so many men were required for duty at the yard in the winter season. The additional force is made necessary owing to the rush work on the U. S. S. Maine. The department has given orders that all ships out of commission which are to join the fleet must be ready in July.

Snug Harbor for Sailors

One of the floors of the old general store building is said will bt fitted out as recreation rooms for the enlisted men of the ships. Already the partitions are being removed and the rooms cleared for what work is to be done there. This building is in one of the best locations for such quarters that could be selected and when properly equipped the Jackies will find much pleasure in their visits to the rooms.

Must Be Delighted With It

A detachment of court martialed men arrived from New York today for the Southern. Among them was a prisoner who has made his fourth trip to this station to do time in the floating prison.

PERSONALS

Dr. E. B. Goodall is ill at his home on Court street.

Miss Evelyn Wingate of Sunapee is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Emery have returned home from a visit to Ogunquit.

Mrs. Edwin Rowe and daughter are passing a week with relatives in Raymond.

Mrs. Evelyn N. Whittier of Keene is the guest of relatives in this city for the week.

Miss Daisy Bicknell Barford of Brookline, Mass., is the guest of relatives in this city.

Miss Mollie Bowditch of Boston is passing Washington's birthday in this city with firends.

Donald Ferguson passed Saturday and Sunday with his father in Boston and returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. Arthur Astor Carey of Cambridge and Litle Harbor, has returned from a visit to Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Leteirs received from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Ward, who are on the Pacific coast, report excellent weather and a fine time.

The many friends of Mrs. Fannie S. Hathaway, who recently sustained a shock, will be glad to know that she is slowly recovering therefrom.

Mrs. Mary I. Wood will entertain the teachers of the schools and the members of the Board of Instruction at her home on South street Wednesday evening.

James Gorman, a well known drug clerk of Dover, formerly connected with the Lothrop and Pinkham pharmacy of that city, has entered the employ of Boardman and Norton.

Hiram Y. Waterhouse, who has been passing a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Waterhouse, has returned to his studies in Boston. He was accompanied on his return by Elbridge Knox, who will be his guest for several days.

TWO FISHERMEN DROWNED

In Collision With Quartermaster's Steamer at Portland

What is believed to have been a drowning accident occurred last evening at 6.38 o'clock directly opposite the lighthouse department station at Diamond Island, Portland. The U. S. quartermaster department steamer Henry Wilson, was on her last trip up to the city when a dark object was seen in the water a short distance ahead which soon developed into a motor boat not displaying any lights.

The wheel was quickly put about, but too late to avoid a collision, the boat being struck in the middle and cut in two. The Wilson shut off steam immediately and a boat was lowered to rescue if possible the occupants of the sunken craft. Another boat also put off from the lighthouse steamer Myrtle to assist in the search, but no one could be found in the water, and it is evident that if any persons were in the boat they must have been drowned.

The Myrtle's crew picked up a section of the boat in which were found several kegs such as are used by fishermen, marked J. Rich. Enquiry on the wharf last evening developed the fact that Joseph H. Rich, a well known Long Island fisherman, was the possessor of a fishing boat belonging to the W. T. Studley Co. of Commercial wharf, and it was at first supposed that he was in the boat at the time of the accident.

Later developments, however, showed that the fisherman himself did not come up yesterday, but that his young son, Fred, and York, also of Long Island, brought up the fish, which was taken out at the Studley shop, and they are supposed to have been on their way home when the accident happened.

It seems almost certain that they must have been drowned, as the boats from the two steamers kept up a diligent search for more than 15 minutes before giving up.

ENTERTAINMENT POSTPONED

Owing to the order of the Board of Health concerning attendance of children under sixteen years of age upon entertainments, the Travel Talk to have been given under the auspices of the Walker Mission Band in the Middle street Baptist chapel on Wednesday evening will be postponed until further notice. Inasmuch as the entertainment was to be held under the auspices of the children it seemed wiser to postpone it, than to hold it simply for adults. Further notice will be given as to new date.

OBITUARY

Charles A. Ridge

Died this morning at his home on Newcastle avenue Charles Albert Ridge, aged 61 years, eight months, 11 days. He is survived by a wife, three brothers, Rienzi, Henry and Stover, and two daughters, Mrs. W. F. Woods and Mrs. G. E. Cox.

Mr. Ridge was a carpenter by occupation and a much esteemed gentleman, who leaves many sorrowing friends here and elsewhere.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Frances E. Willard memorial services will be held in Good Templars Hall, corner of Daniel and Penhallow streets, Thursday at 2.30.

A very interesting program has been prepared. Sketches of the life and work of Miss Willard and excerpts from the addresses of U. S. Senators and Represntatives given at placing of her stature in the Capitol at Washington, will be given by members of the union.

Among other features of the program Rev. L. L. Gaither will read the poem written by Katherine Lent Stevenson for that occasion. There will be singing and recitation of "Five Little Pictures of Frances Willard" by children; roll call of members to be answered with Scripture selections or words of Frances Willard; "How the Frances E. Willard Memorial Fund helps the work of the W. C. T. U." Last year this fund amounted to $9,206.36 which is used for work among colored people, among Indians, and among foreign speaking people, also for work among the emigrants at Ellis Island, New York.

The public is cordially invited to be present and learn more of the far reaching work of the W .C. T. U. At the close of the meeting a social hour will be njoyed.

Mrs. Fannie Burrell and Mrs. Edmund Pike will be the hostesses and Mis L. D. Tripp, Mrs. L. H. Perkins, and Mrs. H. Bilbruck the general committee.

MERRY SLEIGHING PARTY

Young People Have a Good Time at Newington

The Bingo club conducted a sleighing party on Monday evening. The club numbering fifty people, assembled on Haymarket square shortly before 9 o'clock and embarked for Newington town hall where they enjoyed dancing and sat down to a banquet. The return home was after midnight.

PASCATAQUA CLUB

The public exercises of the Pascataqua Congregational club announced to be held in the North church building, on Wednesday, will be held at the chapel on Middle street.

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